

Topical Heading

Disability and Rehabilitation Research

Program Title

Mary Switzer Research Fellowships

Also Known as

Research Fellowships

CFDA # (or ED #)

84.133F

Administering Office

Office of Special Education and Rehabilitative Services (OSERS)

Who May Apply (by category)

Individuals

Who May Apply (specifically)

Graduate students and experienced researchers may apply.

Current Competitions

FY 2006 application deadline: Jan. 30, 2006.

Type of Assistance (specifically)

Fellowships

Appropriations

Fiscal Year 2004 \$535,000

Fiscal Year 2005 \$500,000

Fiscal Year 2006 \$505,000

Note: This is one of several National Institute on Disability and Rehabilitation Research (NIDRR) grant programs. Congress provides an appropriation to NIDRR as a whole; see the main entry for NIDRR (# 84.133), also under the topical heading "Disability and Rehabilitation Research." The amounts listed here are a portion of the total NIDRR appropriation.

Fiscal Year 2006 Awards Information*Note: The Department is not bound by any estimates in this notice.*

Number of New Awards Anticipated: 7

Average New Award: \$50,000

Range of New Awards: \$45,000–\$55,000

Legislative Citation*Rehabilitation Act of 1973, Title II, as amended; 29 U.S.C. 762(e).***Program Regulations***EDGAR; 34 CFR 356***Program Description**

These fellowships are awarded to help the nation build future disability and rehabilitation research capacity. Distinguished fellowships are awarded to individuals with doctorates or with comparable academic status who have had seven or more years of experience relevant to rehabilitation research. Merit fellowships are given to persons in earlier stages of their research careers.

Education Level (by category)

Postsecondary

Subject Index

Rehabilitation, Research

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